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MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

PUBLIC NOTICE

IMPORT TRADE CONTROL

New Delhi, the 10th November 1960

SUBJECT:—*Import policy for Copper, wrought in the following forms, viz., strip, tape, foil, highly polished sheets specially prepared for making process blocks, lithographic sheet and copper perforated sheet [S. No. 41 (i)/I], Copper wrought in the following forms, viz., rods, sections, pipes, tubes, plates and sheets, including those cut to shape and size [S. No. 41(ii)/I] and Brass, bronze and similar alloys, wrought including the following, viz., wire, rod, section, sheet, pipe and tube and the following manufactures, viz., rod and tube cut to shape and size but excluding chemicals or imitation gold [S. No. 46(c)/I]—October, 1960—March, 1961 period.*

No. 136-ITC(PN)/60.—Attention of importers is invited to the import policy announced for S. Nos. 41(i)/I, 41(ii)/I and 46(c)/I in Section II of the Red Book for October, 1960—March, 1961 according to which import of the items falling under these sub-serial numbers has been banned for import by established importers during the current half year. The ban on the import of these items has been imposed as more and more indigenous capacity for the manufacture of these items is being developed in the country.

2. It has, however, been decided that applications from actual users (who have not already received A.U. licences on annual basis) for import of the under-mentioned items will be considered by the licensing authorities shown against each on merits and on production of evidence to show that these items cannot be manufactured indigenously:—

*Licensing authority to whom
Actual User applications
should be made*

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| (i) Highly polished copper sheets suitable for making process blocks [S. No. 41(i)/I] from printing houses. | .. Ports. |
| (ii) Copper perforated sheets [S. No. 41(i)/I] from the Sugar Industry. | .. D.C.C.I. (C.L.A.),
New Delhi. |
| (iii) Copper sheets wider than 4 ft. [S. No. 41(ii)/I] from the textile machinery manufacturers. | .. J.C.C.I. & E., Bombay. |
| (iv) Brass rods, strips and tubes [S. No. 46(c)/I]. | .. C.C.I. & E.,
New Delhi. |
| (v) Brass tubes [S. No. 46(c)/I] from the Sugar Industry | .. D.C.C.I. (C.L.A.),
New Delhi. |

3. The Actual User licences for semi-manufactures of copper and brass as mentioned under para 2 above will not normally be granted after the current licensing period. Therefore, all actual users, who require these items during the current period, should try to get them manufactured in the country, if necessary on conversion basis, by importing constituent non-ferrous metals. This facility will be allowed and requests from Actual Users for grant of import licences for constituent non-ferrous metals in place of semi-manufactures of copper, brass, etc., will be entertained, on application.

4. Actual user licences issued for semi-manufactures of copper, brass, bronze and similar copper base alloys during April-September, 1960 period where sufficient validity period is available for effecting imports, will, on application, be also allowed to be converted into constituent non-ferrous metals such as copper, zinc, tin, lead, etc. Detailed particulars of items of semi-manufactures for which A.U. licences have been obtained and the constituent non-ferrous metals for which A.U. licences are desired to be utilized, should be furnished along with the applications. Applications for conversion of A.U. licences on the above basis into constituent metals should be submitted to C.C.I., New Delhi, through the sponsoring authorities.

5. Applications in terms of para 2 of this Public Notice may be made to the licensing authorities concerned in the prescribed form and manner by the 15th February, 1961.

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